

### BRECKENRIDGE

Mrs. Edmund Fox, who teaches one and one-half miles west of Breckenridge was run into Friday, December 15, by Vivian Mulvaney, son of C. B. Mulvaney, of Breckenridge. No one was hurt.

Mr. Shafer, who lives north of Breckenridge, had his arm broken and his leg quite badly bruised while loading a buzz saw and frame Friday. Robert Wierman's house caught fire Tuesday morning about 7:30 o'clock from an overheated stovepipe. Mr. Wierman and his neighbors had succeeded in getting it out before the fire engine got there.

The residence of Sidney Hoag, south of Breckenridge was burnt to the ground Tuesday morning.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stowe of Breckenridge, December 18, a son, Mr. DuVold Shepard, who is attending the University of Michigan, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Shepard, of this place. He will return to his studies after the Christmas holidays.

Miss Suzanne Zubler of Saginaw, who was called here Wednesday, December 13, by the death of her father, H. J. Zubler, returned to her home Sunday evening.

Rev. H. P. Cornell, of Birmingham, has accepted the call of pastor in the Congregational church. He will move his family here shortly.

Elwyn McCall of Breckenridge spent the week end with Mr. Walter Matson of St. Louis.

Mr. Lawrence Watson of St. Louis spent Saturday with relatives here in Breckenridge.

Miss Hattie Bailey who is attending the Mt. Pleasant Normal, is home now visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bailey. She will return to her subjects after the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Lawrence Selbeck who is working in Grand Rapids spent the week end with his family in this place.

### ELWELL

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nelson were Alma callers Thursday.

Wm. Hutchinson and Dell Evans left Saturday for Long Lake where they will spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Worthing and daughter, Mrs. Ervin Sablin, were Alma callers Thursday.

Mrs. A. J. Vibber left Saturday for Pontiac where she will visit relatives for a few days.

Mrs. George Dalrymple and little grandson, Leo Dalrymple, visited relatives in Alma, Thursday.

Mrs. Shellhaus of St. Louis is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Havens a few days.

Mrs. Wm. Hutchinson spent Wednesday at the home of Henry Coburn, north of town.

Mrs. George LaPaugh visited relatives at Riverdale Saturday.

Ed. Crowell of Alma spent Sunday at the home of Ralph Fairchild.

Guy Cloyer of Boyne City was a caller here several days last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Cies Downs were Alma callers Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Medler were Alma callers Thursday.

### NORTHWEST SEVILLE

E. Loomis purchased a new Ford touring car Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swan, who live near the South Lincoln school, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Inman.

The E. Freed sale was postponed from December 12, until Monday, December 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Main Mensor were in Shepherd on business Friday.

Donald Tynan returned Saturday from Wolverine, where he had gone in search of employment.

A Christmas tree and entertainment will be held at the Gee school on Friday evening.

Alva Decker was in Alma Friday on business.

The Binchus family, which has been living on the Drake Phelps farm, is moving this week to a farm near Vestaburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Loomis attended a party Saturday at the home of Raymond Loomis in Montcalm county.

### TOWN LINE

Hubert Wood of Alma spent Saturday and Sunday with his cousins, Merle and Melvin Leland.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cromwell attended church in St. Louis Sunday.

James Barry spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Barry, and family.

There will be an entertainment at the Wright School Friday night, December 21.

Mrs. Claude Church spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Charlie Smith of Alma.

Rex Johnson is working in Flint.

Frank Whitcraft spent Sunday with J. Shoemaker.

Charlie Smith made a trip near Weidman last Friday.

An umbrella has been invented in England which folds into a case of 12 inches. It weighs 15 ounces.

### PLEASANT VALLEY

The Pleasant Valley Aid Society will meet at the hall, Friday, January 5, 1923. Come early and bring needles and thimbles to do quilting.

Mrs. E. A. Warren wishes to thank the Ladies Aid Gleaner Club and Maccabees for their kind remembrances during her sickness.

Mrs. Amy Stephenson who has been on the sick list is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Frye expect to spend Christmas in Detroit the guest of their daughter, Mrs. A. Fenby.

### TAX NOTICE

The state, county, school and delinquent taxes are now due and payable any time before January 9, 1923, without any penalty. From January 10 to March 1, 1923, four (4%) per cent will be added to the amount of your taxes.

Dated Alma, Mich., Dec. 20, 1922.  
D. W. Adams,  
City Treasurer.

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Circulation counts—we have it.

### Pierce Butler



Whose nomination to the U. S. Supreme bench by President Harding has aroused a storm of criticism. Mr. Butler is from St. Paul. He was formerly a corporation attorney.

# 1923 Christmas Savings Club

**Opens Thursday  
Dec., 14, 1922**

How would you like to have us send you a check for \$25.00, \$50.00, \$100.00 or \$250.00 about this time next year. No Xmas worries. It will be easy for you if you

### ENTER ONE OF THESE CLASSES

50c weekly builds a fund of \$ 25.00 and Int.  
\$1.00 weekly builds a fund of \$ 50.00 and Int.  
\$2.00 weekly builds a fund of \$100.00 and Int.  
\$5.00 weekly builds a fund of \$250.00 and Int.

**JOIN NOW AND HAVE MONEY FOR CHRISTMAS**

**Alma State Savings Bank**

**The Central Michigan  
Light & Power Co.**

TAKES THIS OPPORTUNITY TO THANK  
ITS PATRONS FOR THE BUSINESS OF  
THE PAST YEAR AND WISHES ITS  
CUSTOMERS A VERY

*Merry Christmas*

ATTENDED WITH MANY BLESSINGS  
AND A HAPPY, PROSPEROUS

*New Year*

**DeLuxe Candy Co.**

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325 STATE ST.

ALMA, MICH.

## Home Made Candy Canes

All flavors and colors, price according to weight upwards from **5c**  
Special Price on quantities for schools, churches, etc.

### Our Pure Cane Sugar Thin Pooled Ribbon Candy

all colors and flavors—delicate finish like any high class hard candy goods, lb. **35c**  
Two Pounds for 65c

### Pay Attention to this Bargain

Assortment of Home Made Fondant Creams and Hand Dipped Chocolates, all flavors, per lb. **28c**  
Two Pounds for 52c

Don't compare this with the ordinary pail goods. This candy is fresh made especially for your Christmas.

### Home Made Baskets

Made of pure cane sugar, all sizes and colors. An ideal present for the kiddies—priced according to weight, or lb. **40c**

We assure you we have enough of them made this year so there will not be any disappointments for anybody. For quantities please place your order early.

### We Have Fancy Box Goods

of all descriptions in our stock, but for a wise buy a box of our home made chocolates—one, two, three or five pounds—can't be beat.

# CANDY

**GREATEST HOME MADE CANDY BARGAINS IN HISTORY**

We make all our candy and that accounts for the astonishing low prices. Last year's Christmas candy sale was a record-breaker—3,400 lbs. alone of Xmas Mixture. Our quality and price were the talk of the community—they bought our candy from a radius of 60 miles and more. This year we are going to offer still lower prices and break that record. Don't forget we make special prices for lots over ten pounds.

### OUR FAMOUS ALL HOME MADE CHRISTMAS MIXTURE

Tons of it—all pure cane sugar consisting of Peanut Candy, Peanut Brittle, Coconut Candy, Lemon, Vanilla and Strawberry Taffy, Klondikes, Chocolate Peanut Clusters, Assorted Flavor Fondant Creams, Striped Pooled Candies of all kinds, Buttercups of all flavors, Drops, all flavors and colors, etc.

**16C**  
**POUND**  
**Two Pounds for 30c**

**LOOK! JUDGE!  
BUY!**

We make everything in our line and we are proud to say, we can undersell any outside concern. As for quality, you know we expect to see you again.

**FREE** A beautiful 1923 Calendar given away with a 50c purchase and upwards as usual, one to a customer. Come early. **FREE**

**YOUR STORE The DeLuxe Candy Co. YOUR STORE**

Non-competable prices quoted on all our Xmas Candy on large quantities for schools, churches, etc. Come and see us—we will save you money, when you will buy pure home candy made in your own town.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL**

**DeLuxe Candy Co.**

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## Special Fancy Boxed Candies for Christmas

Fancy Boxed Candies of highest quality at very moderate prices; boxes containing—

Assorted Chocolates  
Assorted Nuts, Brazil Nuts  
Assorted Nuts in Creams  
All Milk Chocolates  
All Bitter Sweets  
Assorted Nuts and Fruits  
Cherry Cordials, the juicy kind  
Assorted Chewing Pieces

Or any kind, style, flavor, size, or description to be found in our stock.

Being the largest and only exclusive confectioner in town, we are in position to buy the best at lowest prices. We have been granted by the companies of whom we purchase our fancy box goods the right to return any boxes unsold after a month has passed. This assures our trade of candy not more than a month old, and that is something worthy of your consideration. No old, stale, wormy, cloudy, weather-beaten or sticky chocolates in our place.

NOTE—If you have any fancy box at hand and you wish to have it refilled, bring it to us. We are experts in filling boxes.